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SUBJ: GARBA TO VISIT SENEGAL

1. NIGERIA EXTERNAL AFFAIRS COMMISSIONER GARBA IS LEAVING TODAY FOR DAKAR. HE IS NOT EXPECTED BACK IN LAGOS UNTIL NEXT WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

2. WHILE THERE MAY BE SOME LINGERING DETAILS REGARDING THE SETTLEMENT OF THE NIGERIAN/SENEGALESE FESTAC DISPUTE TO DISCUSS (DAKAR 5515), IT SEEMS MORE PROBABLE THAT OTHER ITEMS WILL HEAD THE AGENDA FOR HIS TALKS WITH SENEGALESE OFFICIALS. ECOWAS LIKELY BE HIGH ON THE LIST. NIGERIANS ARE ANXIOUS TO GENERATE SOME FORWARD MOVEMENT IN GETTING ECOWAS OFF THE GROUND. PRESIDENTS EYADEMA OF TOGO (LAGOS 19909) AND TOLBERT OF LIBERIA (MONROVIA 6242 & 6279), HAVE JUST MADE OFFICIAL VISIT TO
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NIGERIA. ECOWAS CLEARLY FIGURED PROMINENTLY IN BILATERAL DIS-

CUSSIONS. WE BELIEVE IT IS ALSO VERY POSSIBLE THAT GARBA WILL
WANT TO DISCUSS UNFOLDING DEVELOPMENTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA,
PERHAPS WITH A VIEW TO REACHING CONSENSUS ON UNIFIED AFRICAN
REACTION TO THEM.
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